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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir

Applicant respectfully petitions for a 1-month extension of time within which to respond to the April 30, 2007 outstanding Office Action, the extension allowing the undersigned until May 30, 2007 to respond.

Please charge the amount of \$120.00 as set forth in the enclosed transmittal letter.

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Respectfully submitted,

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